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HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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GUIDELINES OF UGC FOR FOREIGN UNIVERSITIES
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the University Grants Commission has finalisedthe guidelines for regulating the sphere of activities of the foreign universities in India;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether a large number of foreign universities are offering various courses in commensurate with the quality of education in India;

(d) if so, the details in this regard?

(e) whether these courses are recognised by the Government; and

(f) the number of foreign universities registered in the country and the total number of courses being offered by them?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a) & (b): The University Grants Commission (UGC) hasframed draft Regulations for the entry into and operation o f foreign universities/ educational institutions in India. The draft Regulations are under consideration of the Government.

(c) to (f): According to the information furnished by UGC,the Commission has no precise information in this regard. No foreign university has so far been registered for operating in India.